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SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 17, 1887.

The crown prince's throat is really better.
Mr. Powderly's condition continues favor-
able.

Anxiety is again felt, at Brussels, about
Stanley.

Congressman Butterworth's condition is
hopeful.

A horse distemper is raging in the vicin-
ity of Dayton.

The Chicago Times is to become a repub-
lican, protection paper.

Bob Burdette says that "the man who
wants the earth is the man the earth doesn't
want."

Irish landlords are beginning to lower
rents, voluntarily. They have the key to
the situation.

Doubtless Mr. Blaine gave president Car-
ter some valuable suggestions as to how to
run a republic.

Generals Sherman and Sheridan—Ohio
men—are to be present at the G. A. R. in
company at Columbus, in September next,
and review the veterans and the Ohio Na-
tional Guard.

The New York Star (administration or
gan) claims that the Sherman crowd cap-
tured the young republican convention in
session in its city, and that Ohio was the
controlling element.

The Catholic Knights say of the message:
"The classes fear it, and the masses cheer it."
The Knight puts a space between a
c and an m when it should be between the
m and the c—viz: "Them asses cheer it."

The Holman issue of *Terror Stifling* is
very fine: 240 Broadway, New York. Mr.
Alex. E. Sweet, and our old friend, Mr. A.
Minor Griswold, are the editors, which
means a good deal, in the way of genuin-
ity and fun.

Mr. Estley Eaton, of Farm City, gives, in
the *Marquette Tribune*, good reasons for
abandoning the democratic party—after
voting the ticket regularly for twenty-four
years—and joining the republicans. Among
them is the conduct of the squaw senators
and the rebel flag order.

The new members of governor Foraker's
military staff, for 1888 and 1889 are to be:
A. E. Jones, surgeon general; William A.
Haskell, chief of engineers; and Samuel
Trost, C. F. Baldwin, editor of the *Mt.
Vernon Republican*, H. B. Welton and J.
D. Stickey as aids-de-camp.

The coming out of Stamford, in Eng-
land, the son of a negro woman in Africa,
will have a curly head and a flat nose, but
as he will be an earl and be immensely
wealthy, there will be no prejudice against
color (in his case) among the New York
nobles and nobles, should he come over
here.

Christian America now has an opportu-
nity of reaching out her myriad hands, full
of food, for millions of the Chinese, who
will suffer from the great disaster in the
destruction, by a great deluge, of several
cities and many thousands of homes and
human lives.

THE PROTECTION POLICY AND SUGAR —AN OPENING FOR DIVERSIFIED AG- RICULTURAL INTERESTS.

We print in this day's REPUBLIC a most
able and remarkably suggestive article on
the sugar industry of America, from the
pen of our well-known and highly-honored
citizen, Mr. John Foss, a sterling and vet-
eran republican, a Springfield manufac-
turer and a Louisiana sugar planter and
sugar manufacturer. It may be called John
Foss's message, and it is equal to Cleve-
land's or Blaine's. The utterances of no
man in this country command more confidence
than do the utterances of Mr. Foss. He is
a student and a thinker, and at the same
time a practical man.

We call attention to the facts and figures
which Mr. Foss presents to the public in
his paper. Our theory as to protection is
that it is to the interest of the American
people to produce within our own borders,
so far as it shall be possible, all that we
consume, and in so doing keep for circula-
tion among us the hundreds of millions of
dollars sent abroad for goods and supplies
which can be as well produced here as else-
where—and usually in better quality. Then
the American consumer will pay his money
to an American (and not a foreign) pro-
ducer. Then this producer would—as the
foreign producer would not—purchase his
corn, wheat, pork, beef and manufactured
goods of the great body of his consumers,
and there would be an interchange of pro-
ducts and hard cash that would be mutually
helpful and beneficial.

It is now proposed in congress to make
an exception of the sugar industry in en-
forcing the policy of protection, and Mr.
Foss—a protectionist, at all times, and ev-
erywhere—objects to a reduction which, he
claims, will wipe out the entire sugar pro-
duction in the country, and he shows that,
were this done, it would not only involve in
ruin an entire class of American producers
in the south, but would also work disaster
to northern agricultural and manufacturing
producers who now sell their products to
Louisiana planters to the value of \$25,000-
000 a year.

But Mr. Foss states some facts that are
of great interest to us, outside of any bear-
ing they may have on tariff questions. We
are told, on trustworthy data, that sorghum
cane can be grown in almost all sections
of the country, and that government
experiments, through several successive
years, have at last demonstrated the fact
that, through the "diffusion" process, good,
well-grained sugar, can be made, with
profit, from sorghum. He also shows that
the sugar beet can be raised with profit, in
the United States, and that with the estab-
lishment of what are called central sugar
factories, in all the agricultural re-
gions of the country, we can

raise the sugar beet and man-
ufacture the sugar from it with
a full degree of success and a fair profit.
This information comes at a time when the
farmers of the country—and especially of
this country of Clark—are giving personal
attention to the policy of diversifying agri-
cultural industries. On the afternoon of
Monday next, at the annual session of the
Clark county Farmers' Institute, the Hon.
J. H. Brigham will lead in the discussion
of the question: "What is the cause of the
present depression in the farming interests
of the country?" and will attempt to sug-
gest the remedy. Undoubtedly one of the
remedies will be this same diversification
of agricultural industries, and we commend
to our farmer friends the very careful per-
usal of Mr. Foss's article, feeling assured
that whatever they may think of the policy
of protection, they will find much valuable
and suggestive information in what Mr.
Foss says about the cultivation of sorghum
and the sugar beet. We take no risk what-
ever in predicting that the day is not far
distant when the central sugar mill will be
as common a feature in the agricultural re-
gions of the country as the flouring mill
and the cheese factory are now. America
will, in good time, produce her own sugar,
instead of sending abroad a hundred mil-
lions of dollars a year for the foreign prod-
uct—and will be able to export large quanti-
ties.

**THE TOWN AND COUNTRY ANNUAL
REUNION.**

City and country people are to have their
annual reunion at the sessions of the Clark
County Farmers' Institute, which is to com-
mence its work in the upper court-room, at
10 o'clock, Monday morning, December
19th. All farmers, some of farmers and re-
latives and friends of farmers, are, as we
understand, invited to be present and par-
ticipate in the deliberations and discussions.
The farmers and their wives and daughters
will be there, and we find it necessary only
to urge city people to do their part toward
crowding the room. Extra chairs can be
brought in and a jammed house would have
a good moral effect on a community, as it
would inspire the speakers, and they in
turn would inspire the audience, which, in
turn, would disperse themselves among the
people and inspire them. There is not a
topic to be discussed that will not be of in-
terest to town people as well as to their
country friends.

The music—vocal and instrumental—will
be attractive, as the Misses Emma and
Matty Mellinger are to make it. On Mon-
day morning Hon. Thomas J. Pringle will
lead off in the discussion of the changes
required in the patent laws and concerning
the action which should be taken in pro-
curing relief.

Monday afternoon the Hon. J. H. Brigham
will discuss the causes and remedies of
the present depression in agricultural in-
terests.

Tuesday morning Hon. Thomas F. Long-
necker, of Dayton, will speak of insects in-
jurious to vegetables and fruits, and inform
us as to methods of getting rid of them.
During the same session Mr. D. O. Frantz,
of this county, will speak of the profit there
is (or is not) in the orchard, as compared
with other portions of the farm.

Tuesday afternoon General S. H. Hurst,
late food commissioner, and now cen-
sorial commissioner, will speak on that vi-
tally important topic, "Food Adulteration."
Hon. J. H. Brigham, on "Taxation," and in
the evening General Hurst will speak of
"Ohio's First Century," and as 1888 is to
be Ohio's centennial year, this address

should be heard by all. The court room
should be altogether too small for the au-
dience.

Wednesday morning our amiable and ac-
complished neighbor, of the *New Era*,
Mr. R. S. Thompson, will speak of "Com-
mercial Fertilizers," and as these are man-
ufactured in this city and
largely used in the county—to excellent
advantage—the discussion will be of very
practical interest.

During the same session, Mr. Nathan
Marsh will tell us what breed of sheep are
best suited to this country.

Wednesday afternoon, Dr. J. S. R. Har-
zard will speak on "Stock"—cattle, horses,
sheep and hogs—and tell us which are the
most profitable for the average farmer in
Clark county; Mr. G. P. Houper, a college
man who has taken to farming, will speak
on "Fences"—not political—and Messrs.
Bel Rathbun and George Elder, will tell
what they know (and it will be a good deal)
about the feeding and medical treatment of
hogs.

This will close out the session for 1887,
all two noon, we doubt not, at 4 o'clock on
Wednesday afternoon.

Messrs. Cassell & Company's Magazine
of Art (738 and 741 Broadway, \$3.50 a
year) for January is a fine number. The
editor, acknowledging the growing taste
for plastic art, gives us as a frontispiece a
photogravure of Delaplanche's Statue of
Music. The opening paper is devoted to the
consideration of the "Forest of Fontaine-
bleau in Winter." As much as this
forest is described, it is a subject one never
wearies of. Both pen and pencil are called
into service in this article, and the result is
a delight to the eye as well as to the mind.

The subject of the "Progress of English
Art" is discussed by Claude Phillips, and
we have the second paper on "Studies in
English Costume." A full-page engraving
is devoted to that quaint old painting, by
John Van Eyck, "John Arnolfini and wife."
The new editor of the Magazine, M. H.
Spielmann, contributes a readable paper on
"Glimpses of artist life," showing how art
studies are pursued in London. The Boy
of Egremond furnishes the subject of this
month's chapter on the "Romance of art
series." A copious review of W. P.
Fritsch's autobiography is given, and is fol-
lowed by a copious supply of notes. More
of a feature than usual is made of this de-
partment, and it is something more than a
dry record of facts.

The result of the prosecution of Mr.
Mumma, for a nameless crime, should put
people on their guard against forming their
opinion against a man simply because he is
arrested and charged with crime. When the
case against Mr. Mumma, who was
proved upon examination, to be an in-
famous citizen, was thoroughly gone into,
it was shown that the girl had not even
been tampered with, and yet her previous
talk had been of such a character as to
naturally lead one to suppose that she had.
It was discovered that she was not a young
person of the highest order of intelligence.

Mr. Hamilton and Dayton lives has been
discharged. It couldn't be proved that he
gubbed the hundred thousand dollars.

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Quick, complete cure, all annoying Kidney,
Bladder and Urinary Diseases. St. Al. Druggists.

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Stomachic, small, clean, big results, pleas-
ant in operation, don't disturb the stomach.

"ROUGH ON DIRT."
Ask for "Rough on Dirt." A perfect washing
powder found at last! A harmless extra
fine article, perfect for washing clothes,
boilers and whitens without slightest injury
to finest fabric. Unexcelled for the laundry
and home use. Softens water, saves labor and soap.
Added to starch increases gloss, prevents yellow-
ing. 5c., 10c., 25c. at Grocers or Druggists.

Thornton Has Failed
On the New Home and New Improved
White sewing machines. He only sold five
machines last week. He expected to sell
six. The following are the names of those
parties to whom Mr. Thornton sold the ma-
chines: Mrs. West, north Columbia street;
Miss McDowell, Linden avenue; Mr. Frank
Otis, Gellert road, near Springfield; Mrs.
Burt, Elder street, near Jackson; South-
avenue. Any man selling five ma-
chines two weeks before Christmas, what
should he do at Christmas time in the way
of Christmas presents? He should more
than double that amount of sales. Last
year he sold seven machines in one week.
The New Improved White and New Home
are getting so popular that everybody
knows their merits. They are entirely self-
threading, have self-setting needle and
winds its own bobbin without assistance.
Also has a double feed. Mr. Thornton will
put any of these machines on trial
against any other machine made. For re-
pairs and attachments and parts, go to
Thornton, No. 10 north Market.

Not Hard to Find.

The west end headquarters for Christmas
tree ornaments and all other Christmas
presents in the bakery and confectionery
line in the city at Frank & Hart's, No. 107
West Main street. We have a complete
line of new and desirable goods. Our
home-made and imported candies are pure
and the best. Our prices are rock bottom.
It will pay you to call on us before purchas-
ing elsewhere.

L. E. & W. Holiday Excursions.
This company will sell on Dec. 24th,
25th, 26th and 31st, 1887, and Jan. 1st and
24, 1888, round trip excursion tickets from
all ticket stations to all stations at half fare.
This will include Chicago. All tickets
will be good to return till Jan. 31, 1888.
C. L. HILGARY, Ticket Agent.

Holiday Rates on the New Line.
Excursion tickets will be sold to and from
all stations on the Cleveland, Columbus,
Cincinnati and Indianapolis railway, at one
fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale
December 24, 25, 26 and 31, January 1st
and 24, and good to return until January
31, inclusive. Call on agents for full par-
ticulars.

New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio R.R.
Round trip tickets will be sold on the N.
Y. & O.R.R. at one fare for the round
trip, on Dec. 24th, 25th, 26th and 31st,
1887, and Jan. 1st and 24, 1888, good to
return until Jan. 31, 1888. For agents, 72 Ar-
cade.

The L. E. & W. California excursion will
leave Springfield, O., December 14, 21 and
28, inclusive. For rates, time of trains,
etc., call on or write to
C. L. HILGARY,
Ticket Agent, Springfield, O.

TO OUR PATRONS.

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business to Messrs. Jan-
ney & Pierce, we ask all our
old friends and many new
ones to extend a liberal pat-
ronage to them. You will find
them gentlemen, now ready
to serve you. Respectfully,
HAMILTON & CO.

CHURCHES TOMORROW.

Congregational—Lagonda avenue, W. Wal-
lace Pierce, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m.
and at 7:30 p. m. Morning subject—"A
Noble Record." Evening subject—"The Na-
ture and Object of the Young People's Soci-
ety of Christian Endeavor." Sunday school at
9:30 a. m. Young people's praise meeting at 6:45 p.
m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at
7:30 o'clock. Strangers are cordially wel-
comed.

First Congregational, Center street, between
Main and High—School, 9:30 a. m. and 7:30 p.
m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject—"The Na-
ture and Object of the Young People's Soci-
ety of Christian Endeavor." Sunday school at
9:30 a. m. Young people's praise meeting at 6:45 p.
m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at
7:30 o'clock. Strangers are cordially wel-
comed.

Grace M. E. Church—On west Main street,
preaching by the pastor, Rev. G. L. Tufts, at
10:30 a. m. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m.
The morning subject will be on the "Scriptural
Mode of Baptism," followed by the baptism
of converts. Sermon at 7:30 p. m. The
people's church of the west end welcomes ev-
erybody.

Universalist—South Market, near Pleasant
street. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Thomas Devitt,
superintendent. At 11 a. m. Rev. Henrietta
G. Moore will preach. At 7:30 p. m. she will
deliver a temperance sermon. All made wel-
come.

Christian—On High street, west of Mechan-
ical street. Rev. Dr. Sumnerbell, the pastor,
will preach a little sermon for the little folks
at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
At 11 a. m. "The Latherly character of God."
At 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m.
The morning subject will be on the "Scriptural
Mode of Baptism," followed by the baptism
of converts. Sermon at 7:30 p. m. The
people's church of the west end welcomes ev-
erybody.

St. Paul M. E. Church, Yellow Springs street,
near High—Rev. Thomas Collett, pastor.
Sunday school at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a.
m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject on the morning
—"The nearness of God;" in the evening
—"What does sin pay?" Young People's League
meeting at 6:30 p. m. All are invited to these
services.

Trinity Baptist—Corner south Limestone
and Mulberry streets. Preaching at 11 a. m.
and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Rob-
erts. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. All
invited.

Methodist Protestant Church—Corner of
Pleasant and Winter streets. S. S. Fleming
pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Preaching
at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting
every Wednesday evening. The church will
have its Christmas festivities Friday evening
the 22d. All cordially invited to attend these
services.

First Lutheran, corner High and Factory
streets—Rev. J. B. Helwig, D. D. pastor.
Sabbath school at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a.
m. and 7:30 p. m. Young people's meeting
at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and lecture on
Wednesday evening. You are cordially in-
vited to all of these services.

Second Presbyterian—Preaching at 11 a. m.
and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. G. H.
Folger. In the morning, people's meeting
at 10:30 a. m. In the evening at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening
at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to
attend these services.

First Presbyterian, corner Main and Fisher
streets—Rev. W. F. Falconer, D. D. pastor.
will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on
Wednesday evening. Young people's meeting
at 6:30 p. m. School at 9:30 a. m. The
public cordially invited.

Second English Lutheran—L. A. Gotwald,
pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching
at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. In the evening at
7:30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m.
Wednesday evening services at 7:30. Catechet-
ical class on Friday evening at 7. Everybody
invited and made welcome.

Central M. E.—Sabbath school at 9 a. m.
and 7:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev.
John Pearson, pastor. Young people's meet-
ing at 6:30 p. m. Seats are free. Strangers cor-
dially welcomed.

Third English Lutheran Church, corner of
Center and Liberty streets—Rev. E. Lee
Fieck, pastor. Preaching morning and evening
at the usual hours. All are cordially in-
vited to attend these services.

Second Baptist, south Factory street—Rev.
William B. Boone, pastor. Sunday school at
11 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at
11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All invited and
made welcome.

Christ Church (Episcopal)—Rev. W. W. Steel,
rector. Residence, 340 north Limestone street.
Services—Holy communion, except on first
day in the month, 9:15 a. m.; on first Sun-
day in the month, 11 a. m. Morning service,
11:15 a. m.; evening service, 7:30. All are invited to
attend these services.

North Side Presbyterian Chapel—Preaching
service on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock by
the Rev. H. Smith of Wittenberg. Sunday
school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting on Wed-
nesday evening at 7:30. All are welcome to all
these services.

High Street M. E. Church—Rev. R. H. East
D. D. pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.
Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and
7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening
at 7:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

First Baptist—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the
pastor, Rev. A. L. Wilkinson, D. D. Prayer
meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. All
cordially invited to these services.

Lagonda L. Church—C. J. Burkett, pastor.
Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sun-
day school at 9 a. m. Strangers are cordially in-
vited.

North street A. M. E. Church—Regular
services at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a.
m. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting on Friday night and prayer meet-
ing on Thursday night. Seats free. Strangers
welcome to all the services.

United Presbyterian, corner of Limestone
and Mulberry street—Sabbath school at 9:30
a. m. Preaching by Rev. Joseph Kyle, the
pastor, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young
people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meet-
ing every Wednesday evening. All are cordi-
ally invited.

Did we discourse, I will enchant thee
and with remarkable tales of astounding
cures of all sorts of suffering by Salvation
Oil, the greatest cure on earth for pain.
Price 25 cents a bottle.

It is asserted that Booth and Salva
keep their voices clear by the use of Dr.
Bull's Cough Syrup.

Can't Sleep Nights is the complaint of
thousands suffering from Asthma, Con-
sumption, Cough, etc. Did you ever try
Ackle's English Remedy? It is the best
preparation known for all Lung Troubles,
sold on a positive guarantee at 10c., 50c.,
Frank H. Coblenz, corner Market and
High streets.

DYSPEPSIA
[A that misery experienced when we suddenly
become aware of the presence of a diabolical
arrangement called a stomach. The stomach
is the reservoir from which every fiber and
indication of our being is issuing. In central
with it is so fast throughout the whole sys-
tem. Among a dozen dyspepsias no two will
have the same predominant symptoms. Dys-
pepsia of active mental power and a bilious
temperament are subject to Stomach Trou-
bles, and plethoric and plethoric have constipa-
tion while the thin and nervous are aban-
doned to chronic diarrhoea. Some dys-
pepsias are wonderfully forgetful; others
have great irritability of temper.

Whatever form dyspepsia may take, one
thing is certain.
The Underlying Cause is in the LIVER.
and one thing more is equally certain, no one
will remain a dyspeptic who will
IT WILL CORRECT
Acidity of the
Stomach.
Excess of Gall,
Ally Irritation,
Assist Digestion,
and at the same time
**Start the Liver to Work-
ing, when all other
troubles soon
disappear.**
"My wife was a confirmed dyspeptic. Some
three years ago by the advice of Dr. Steiner,
of Augusta, she was induced to try Simmons'
Liver Regulator. She has since been free of
it has given her, and may all who read this
and are afflicted in any way, whether chronic
or otherwise, Liver, Regulator. I feel
confident health will be restored to
me by the advice of—"Wm. M. Kansas, Fort
Valley, Colo."

See that you get the Genuine,

THE PRESENT

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Having purchased of HAMILTON & CO., 27 East Main street, their entire Hardware Bus-
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Hardware Business, in all its departments, at the old stand, and solicit the patronage of
the people of this part of Ohio. We are here to stay; we are here to serve the people with
good goods and low prices. We buy for cash and get big discounts.

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A Large Stock of Pocketbooks Just Received.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS

Springfield Publishing Company, of
Springfield.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of
the Springfield Publishing Company, for the
election of directors, will be held at the office
of the Republic on Tuesday, the 19th day of
January, 1888, between the hours of 2 and 4
p. m. THOS. G. BROWN, Secretary.
Springfield, O., Dec. 14, 1887.

Springfield National Bank of Spring-
field.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of
the Springfield National Bank, for the elec-
tion of directors, will be held at their banking
house on Tuesday, January 16, 1888, between
the hours of 2 and 4 p. m.
THOS. G. BROWN, Cashier.
Springfield, O., Dec. 14, 1887.

Mad River National Bank, of Spring-
field.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of
the Mad River National Bank, of Spring-
field, Ohio, for the election of directors, will
be held at its banking house on Tuesday, Jan-
uary 16, 1888, between the hours of 10 a. m. and
4 p. m.
THOS. G. BROWN, Cashier.
Springfield, O., Dec. 14, 1887.

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